

cooking fireplace with wooden crane and bake oven. Built ca. 1720; two and three-story frame wings added on S elevation; large window cut in E elevation; donated to Chester County Historical Society by Mr. Hugh Peeling, original section dismantled 1968 and placed in storage; ca. 1974-77 reassembled at new site, Bacton (East Whiteland Township), Chester County, intersection of State Rte. 401 (Conestoga Rd.) and Spring Valley Rd., adjacent to John Jacobs House (PA-1209); restoration in progress 1978. Possibly built by the Mendenhall Family, a prominent Quaker family. One of the earliest frame houses in area.

3 ext. photos (1968), 11 int. photos (1968, taken during dismantling, show frame construction).

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